

AUTO BREAKS WINDOW AT RAKER GARAGE

An automobile which evidently had bolshevik tendencies hurled a large rock at Raker & Son garage Sunday, breaking one of the large plate glass windows on which was pasted a "No More War" sign.

Three machines were passing at the time and no one could say which machine had caused the trouble. The drivers, serenely unconscious of the damage done, went on by. The accident is caused by a rock being picked up by the tire and then being flung free from the car. Any autoist knows by experience of the force with which a rock hits the fenders every little while.

This is the second time an accident of this sort has happened in Gresham. The first was a short time ago when a window was broken in the same manner at the A. W. Metzger & Co. store.

MANY LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND INSTITUTE

A number of people from Gresham and vicinity are at Falls City attending the Epworth League institute. They are known as the Powell Valley circuit. They have already distinguished themselves by winning the biggest handclap from the audience when they gave their yell. This is saying a good deal as they had to compete against Salem's delegates with 65 members.

Those who went from Gresham and vicinity are the Misses Helen Hisey, Edna Gill, Myrtle Rusher, Doris Zimmerman, Violet Coe, Violet Brooks of Fairview and Miss Amy Elliott of Gillis station and the Rev. A. S. Hisey, Rev. Earl B. Cotton, Paul Rusher, Alden Miller and William McAllister. Mrs. Edith Ely of Portland accompanied the party and was to act as cook and chaperon.

Attention! Berry Growers.
We are arranging for the delivery at Fairview next week of several car loads of sheep corral fertilizer at a reasonable price and if you are interested, please call at the cannery for further information.
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MISS VIOLET CARRELL BRIDE OF PORTLAND MAN

A wedding of interest to Union high school students and people in Powell Valley was that of Miss Violet Carrell, Monday, July 31, when she became the bride of William George Schaefer. The marriage was solemnized in Portland after which the young couple went on a short honeymoon trip.

On their return they will reside in Portland where Mr. Schaefer is employed as a machinist.

Mrs. Schaefer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carrell of Powell Valley and she has grown to womanhood in that neighborhood. She was a member of Union high and would have entered her junior year at high school this fall.

NURSERY MAN ISSUES NEW FALL CATALOG

F. N. Wirt, proprietor of Powell Valley Nursery, located on the Powell Valley road three miles west of Gresham, has issued from the Outlook office a fine catalog of his nursery stock which he will be glad to mail to anyone desiring same. The address is Portland, Route 1, and phone call 123.

Mr. Wirt is an experienced nursery man and has built up a fine variety of general stock, specializing in fruit trees of all kinds. Being a local nursery and easy to reach, people of eastern Multnomah and northern Clackamas counties will find it convenient to call on Mr. Wirt.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation of the kindly assistance shown us at the time of the loss of our husband and father; also for the beautiful flowers. Mrs. J. W. Bacon, Mrs. Edna M. Cook, Chas. A. Bacon, George S. Bacon, Mrs. J. E. Triplett, John I. Bacon.

Buyer's Week, August 6-12.
Multnomah county fair grounds, Telephone 2101.

GRESHAM LOCALS

The Rev. W. T. Kerr, a Civil War veteran, living in Portland occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday and preached an excellent sermon.

Miss Addie Pullen is visiting near North Plains with her sister, Mrs. R. A. Starboard.

A baby was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gregg, on July 24. Miss Lucy Krigbaum began work this morning at the Gresham Outlook. She will take the place of Miss Florence Auclair, who has secured work in Portland.

The new addition to the Main Street garage has been completed and is now in use.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Jones expect to leave early Wednesday morning for Seaside. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Jackson Jones and little son, Robert and by Hallie Jones. The party will drive to Seaside, where Mrs. Jackson Jones will visit relatives and friends. Before their return, the party will visit Tillamook and other points.

Carpenters are busy finishing the interior of the Frank Wostell home.

The members of the Gresham Grange are to be the invited guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Squire. A regular grange dinner is to be served at 6:30 Saturday evening, August 5. All members and friends are invited. The ladies will bring something for the dinner just the same as they do for the regular grange day.

A 10-pound boy arrived this morning to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Beers, who live near Hogan station. Mother and baby are both doing well.

Mrs. Albert Adkins and baby of Heppner, Oregon, arrived Monday evening to visit a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown.

Miss Ruth Nystrom of the First State Bank, leaves tomorrow for the coast, where she will spend her vacation.

C. I. Raker and wife, R. D. Bailey and family, J. D. Bailey and family, and R. R. Bailey and mother Mrs. Fietta Hibbert, motored to McMinnville to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Eastman and Miss Mabel Thomas have returned to their homes here after a two weeks' vacation at Cameron's Dock near Bull Run. While there they occupied one of the cabins and enjoyed real camp life. Mrs. Eastman has now taken up her duties at the fair grounds office.

Miss Pearl Sellers of Elkart, Indiana, is visiting the Albert and Arthur Dowsett families.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tood and Miss Emma Johnson motored to Vancouver, Washington, and on the way back stopped at Columbia beach last Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Dowsett left Tuesday morning for Corvallis to attend the Home Economics convention now in session at O. A. C.

A number of friends enjoyed a weenie and marshmallow roast at the home of Fred Blonn, Monday evening.

Mrs. Emma F. Shay of Chicago, who is General Home Mission secretary of the Free Methodist church, will speak in Gresham on Wednesday evening, August 2 at 8 o'clock, on the subject of missionary work in the United States. All those interested are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Winifred St. Clair is the guest of her schoolmate, Miss Grace Collins of Portland. Miss St. Clair expected to go to St. Vincent's hospital this morning to have her tonsils removed, but owing to the fact that Dr. Short was too busy, the operation had to be postponed until tomorrow or a later date.

Miss Frieda Bratzel left Saturday morning for Bismarck, North Dakota. She was called there by the illness of her mother who is to undergo a serious operation. She expects to return by September 1 and re-open her studio at Gresham and Boring.

D. P. Millikin has fitted up rooms over his second hand store and he and Mrs. Millikin are now living up there. Miss Floella Jacobs is here visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Millikin.

RAKER & SON PLAN FOR LARGE EXHIBIT

C. I. Raker & Son plan a large exhibit of Ford cars and Fordson tractors at the county fair. "The Ford people do not make any radical changes in either the cars or the tractors," says Mr. Raker. "They only make such changes as add to the efficiency of the car. To outward appearances, the tractor and the auto remain the same but to the person interested many improvements will be noted over last year's models."

The exhibit will occupy the space where the bandstand has been in former years.

A telephone has been installed in the office at the Multnomah county fair grounds. Phone number is 2101.

MOTORCYCLE CANDON for sale, cheap. Lloyd Grimshaw, Rockwood, Oregon.

MANY FIELDS VIEWED ON INSPECTION TRIP

Monday afternoon about ten autos left the office of county agent, S. B. Holt to go on a tour of inspection of potato fields in Multnomah county. There were about 30 in the party including farmers and club boys. Mr. Holt, Clackamas county agent, accompanied the party.

The first stop was made at the H. W. Lynch farm on the Section Line road. Fields of Garnett and Scott Rural potatoes were inspected. In spite of the unusually dry season the potatoes looked good. Only the usual amount of diseased plants were found.

Some very interesting experiments in potatoes have been made by W. F. Robinson this year. His farm was the next one visited. In one plot Mr. Robinson planted only the blossom ends of the potatoes. In this field three per cent of the disease known as wilt was found at the time of inspection. In another plot he planted the butt ends and the middles, and inspection of this field showed 9 1/2 per cent wilt. This experiment showed that much of the wilt starts in from the middles and stem ends of the potatoes.

Mr. Robinson raises American Wonder and Early Rose potatoes. He has the only strain of Early Rose potatoes that has passed inspection and been certified. His American Wonders are also certified. Mr. Robinson began his work on potato improvement in 1917. Out of two 20-rod rows he saved 15 pounds of potatoes. These were saved from sturdy, healthy plants and were good medium, smooth potatoes. He placed sticks around certain plants that looked the most promising and then selected the best looking potatoes out of those hills.

Some of the best potatoes seen on the trip were at the farm of Eugene Chido on the Powell Valley road. The seed was the Walter Robinson strain of Early Rose. Scotch Rurals were also grown. Mr. Chido planted his hills so the potatoes could be cultivated with the plow both ways on the row. The ground possessed unusual fertility which was aided by having alfalfa plowed under. The vines met on either side they were so large. A hill of Scotch Rurals was dug up and revealed 23 potatoes besides one or two small prospective ones.

The B. C. Altman farm which is also on the Powell Valley road was next visited. Mr. Altman is a firm believer in deep and intensive cultivation. His efforts were not in vain either as, even at this time of year, the moisture was found to be practically to the top of the ground. Mr. Altman has a fine even field of late potatoes.

The next patch visited was owned by H. F. Wihlon north of the Altman farm. Mr. Wihlon has American Wonder potatoes of the Davis strain, and Burbank potatoes, the seed of which he secured from Guy Robertson's certified strain. The seed was dipped with corrosive sublimate before planting and land plaster was used on the ground.

Some interesting experiments were viewed at the R. W. Wilson farm in Corbett. One field was planted with American Wonder potatoes using two ounce seed cut in half. Inspection showed 13 per cent wilt in this patch. Another field was planted with eight ounce potatoes cut in five pieces. Only 7 per cent wilt was found in this patch. In each case the blossom ends were cut off. Still another field was planted with seed over eight ounces in weight cut in five pieces. This piece showed considerable disease.

A summing up of the results of the experiments on the Wilson farm show the best results are secured by planting eight-ounce potatoes cut into five pieces which is according to Oregon Agricultural college directions. In this case it so happened that the eight-ounce plot was a little slower in coming up than the one in which two-ounce potatoes, cut in half were used but at Monday's inspection the individual plants in the eight-ounce field looked better than the other one. Last year a plot in which seed under two ounces was used had twice as much disease than the ones with larger seed potatoes.

The farm of F. N. Lasley on the Springfield road was next visited. Mr. Lasley is one of the foremost potato raisers in this county. His potatoes this year in spite of the dry year were in splendid shape with the exception of a very small piece. The three acres on which he raises his potatoes was formerly a lake, but is now drained by the application of straw underneath the ground.

Mr. Lasley is also a strong believer in plenty of cultivation. He plows his ground once and disks it from three to twelve times according to the amount it requires to become pulverized. This year Mr. Lasley used from 400 to 500 pounds of O A 25 potash. This is considerably more than the usual amount advocated.

In his case it seems to be a complete success but it may be because of the difference in his soil to other soils in

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this locality. Mr. Lasley's ground is what is probably called white land having once been a swamp. Mr. Lasley has applied increasing amounts of potash since 1920 and his experiments have shown an increase of \$141 an acre in value of production since using the potash. The Lasley field this year passed the project and the field tests.

ONE IS KILLED WHEN TWO AUTOS COLLIDE

An unusual story of an actor's occurrence was brought to the attention of the Outlook reporter by William Kercher, salesman for the Gresham Pickling and Canning company. Mr. Kercher was driving toward Tacoma late last Tuesday night in his machine, intending to reach Tacoma as early as possible Wednesday morning. While he was driving along, an automobile loomed up in front of him which upon closer inspection was found to be carrying a coffin. When he made this discovery, Mr. Kercher wondered but followed the auto without making his presence known. Suddenly, without warning, the automobile in front came to an abrupt stop. Mr. Kercher jumped out of his car and decided to go up and investigate. When he arrived on the scene he found he was a witness to a holdup. The driver of the machine was facing a gun held by a second man who had probably appeared from the side of the road.

Having no weapon the onlooker backed away from the scene and went back to his car. While he was sitting there wondering what he should do,

an automobile came into view from the opposite direction in which they were going. The oncoming car in trying to avoid hitting the auto with the coffin swerved into the Kercher car.

The collision did not injure Mr. Kercher's car to any great extent but it threw the other car off of the road and into the ditch. Its occupants, a man and his wife, were thrown out and badly injured. The wife was injured so badly she died in a few hours.

When the collision took place, the lights from the two cars were put out. Taking advantage of the darkness the cars in front slipped away and disappeared. It was thought afterward to have been carrying liquor and the holdup was only a pretense one.

The dead and injured were taken to Tacoma and the story related to the police there. Mr. Kercher was held for several days until investigations could be made and upon his release returned to Gresham. He was much shaken up over the queer occurrence.

Announcement.
I will reopen my store on or about August 10th, to take care of all watch and jewelry repairing. In the near future I hope to build up a stock of modern jewelry and carry on business as before.
GUY D. JONES.
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